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PEABODY LEADS

Great Drive for the Salvation Army, Headed by Chicago's Favorite Sons, Aided by Many Leading Men

Roger C. Sullivan, Simon O'Donnell, Edmund D. Hulbert, J. Ogden Armour, William Wrigley Jr., E. R. Pike and Others

On Monday of this week a wonderful drive was started to raise \$2,250,000 for the Salvation Army.

Francis Stuyvesant Peabody is at the head.

Included on the state committee in charge of raising the funds are some of the most prominent men in Chicago. The committee is as follows:

S. Peabody, state chairman; E. Hulbert, state treasurer; Wm. Wrigley Jr., J. Ogden Armour, Frank Wetmore, Herman H. Hettler, Louis F. Swift, Roger C. Sullivan, D. F. Kelly, L. E. Myers, Stanley Field, Charles H. Wacker, Simon O'Donnell, F. H. Bartlett, H. H. Taylor, Henry H. Kennedy, Eugene R. Pike.

Ninety representatives of the workers in the Salvation Army drive for \$2,250,000 launched on September 22, assembled for the purpose of organizing their forces and hearing addresses by those engaged in Salvation Army work.

The purpose of the drive is to raise sufficient funds to carry on the great work of the Salvation Army in Illinois without forcing the Salvation Army workers to spend the major portion of their time and labor in soliciting funds. "We want to get the Salvation Army ladies off the street with their tambourines, so they won't have to solicit funds that way," said Francis S. Peabody, the state chairman for the drive.

Peabody State Chairman.

The men present were from all parts of the state, and included lawyers, business men, and other prominent persons from practically every county. The Hon. Francis S. Peabody, state chairman of the committee in charge of the drive for funds, presided at the meeting. Lieut. Governor Oglesby was also one of the speakers.

Mr. Peabody, in making the opening address, expressed his pleasure at being permitted to take an active part in the campaign. "I am very happy," he said, "to see such a large attendance at this meeting today. I don't know of any other work that could bring so many men together, taking them away from their business, as this great Salvation Army work. I have never been so proud in my life in any other position, as I am now, in being permitted to take charge of this Salvation Army campaign. There can be no criticism of anything the Salvation Army has ever done. But I will not take time now to speak of the work of the Salvation Army. I now have the very great honor and pleasure to introduce you to Lieut. Governor Oglesby."

Oglesby Pays Tribute.

Governor Oglesby, after stating that Lieut. Governor Lowden regretted very much that he could not be present at the meeting, paid a high tribute to the work of the Salvation Army.

"While the work of the Salvation Army has gone on for many years," he said, "it was not perhaps appreciated by the people in general until its work in the world war. But because of its great, unselfish work then, it has come out of it perhaps more popular and more beloved than any other organization. The Salvation Army ladies are commonly known as 'Sallies,' and that word 'Sally' now stands for as much in time of peace as it did in time of war."

"There are two salient principles of the American people. They are helpfulness and helpfulness. And the Salvation Army in public life typifies these principles and brings them home to the people in this country more than any other organization."

"You are here in a great cause, and are particularly fortunate in securing

such an efficient leadership in this great campaign, under Mr. Peabody."

Lowden Sends Letter.

Lieutenant Governor Oglesby then read a letter from Governor Lowden in which he expressed his deep regret that he was unable to be present, but stated that although he was not there in body, he was certainly present in spirit. "It is unnecessary for me to go on any further," concluded Mr. Oglesby. "You are here not for platitudes but for sound and sensible work and advice. So I will close by wishing you good luck and God-speed in this great undertaking."

Mr. Peabody then introduced Mrs. Estill of Chicago, a Salvation Army worker, who has been in service for over thirty years. Mr. Peabody introduced Mrs. Estill as "the most wonderful person at whom one only has to look to see charity, Christianity, who has spent thirty years of her life in Salvation Army work."

Mrs. Estill opened her address by lauding the work done for the Salvation Army by Mr. Peabody. "No words can fully express the appreciation with which we accept the efforts of Mr. Peabody. His work for the Salvation Army and his influence are highly valuable," she said.

Explains Work.

Mrs. Estill then told of the work of the organization in caring for women and girls, and told of some of her own experiences, as well as describing in detail the methods employed by the Salvation Army in caring for young girls who have been lured from home and have been cast upon the world. She described the large nurseries and the girls' home in Chicago, and the enormous work being carried on by the Salvation Army along these lines.

Concluding, Mrs. Estill said, "It is for this work that we are going to make this campaign a great and booming success. In the last year five hundred young girls have found their way into the Salvation Army home in Chicago. It is for your girls in Illinois that you are working. And we want that every man here should put his shoulder to the wheel and make it spin around, and make this campaign a great success."

Mr. Peabody then spoke briefly about the Salvation Army home in Chicago, recalling the time when it was the home of the Union club of Chicago. "It was then used for anything but religious purposes," he stated. "Thank God that they are now getting some real use out of it."

The next speaker was Captain Ryan of the Salvation Army, of Chicago, who gave an address telling of the work of the organization in Chicago and throughout the state. He spoke of the number of branches for free distribution of necessities of life, of medicine and other articles. "The motto of the Salvation Army," he declared, "is soup, soap and salvation." "And," he added, "sympathy, too. To understand the spirit of the Salvation Army is to know the work."

Elks' President Speaks.

W. H. Rapp of Chicago, state president of the Elks, told of the interest the Elks had taken in the work of the Salvation Army and that that organization would do its share toward raising a large proportion of the amount in the coming campaign. \$1,500,000 is to be raised in Chicago and Cook county and the remainder of the state is to raise \$750,000.

REPUBLICANS NOW HAVE FOUR FACTIONS

The Republicans now have four factions in their managing committee instead of three if reports are correct. William H. Weber, county assessor and secretary of the county committee, is reported to have gathered around him nine committeemen, enough to hold the balance of power. The new group which began forming soon after the election last fall, does not classify itself as a faction. "Har-

many group" is the name they say most properly applies. The members are the five committeemen from outside Chicago and Judge Oscar Hebel, Walter E. Schmidt, Charles V. Barrett and R. R. Levy.

Just now, with the Republican leaders puzzling over the proper play to make to capture the office of county

FIRE DEPARTMENT TOP HEAVY

The mayor and city council are going to lop off useless jobs in the fire department when they:

1. Abolish the fire prevention bureau, which is said to duplicate the work of the building commissioner's office.
2. Abolish the positions of the six assistant fire marshals, one of whom draws a salary of \$5,000 a year and the others \$4,000 a year each.
3. Cut in two the number of battalion chiefs, of whom there are thirty-three drawing \$3,700 a year.
4. Abolish one of the two staffs of officers which at present administer fire department stations where there is both an engine and a truck, or where there are two engines.

EHEMANN'S GOOD WORK

County Agent Is Making a Fine Public Record.

William H. Ehemann has made a splendid record as County Agent. Never in the history of this important office has there been less cause for complaint, coupled with absolutely no scandal in its administration. The people at large know very little about the great work performed under the

CHANGE OF MIND

Political Bosses Now Think That Best Time to Elect County Judge Will Be Next Spring

If the People Approve of the Non-Partisan Bill in November There Will Be No Party Circle

The political bosses have about decided to elect a county judge next spring, instead of waiting until the November election of 1920. It is said that they discovered that in figuring out whether it would be best to hold the special election next spring or wait until the county election in the fall, they must take into consideration

and the names will all be in one column without party marks. Any candidate receiving a majority at the presidential primary will be elected without any more formality.

If there are wards where candidates do not receive a majority, those wards will vote again four weeks later, and the balloting will be limited to the two the preferential primaries. It might be that only one ward would have to have another election, and again there might be twenty wards that would have to vote a second time.

It is argued that although it would be possible, perhaps, to have an election of a county judge the same day as the aldermanic and presidential primaries, and the extra expense would be only nominal, there is still the question of a county judge primary to consider.

This last requires a primary election to name candidates for the position, and with the delay away with the present system of holding aldermanic elections, the expense of holding a special primary election would be great enough to warrant serious consideration.

PARTY CANDIDATES FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

FIRST DISTRICT.

Republican.
Walter H. Wilson, 2619 Prairie avenue.
Franklin A. Denison, 3132 Calumet avenue.
Democrat.
Levy Mayer, Blackstone hotel.
Norman H. MacPherson, 1907 S. Wabash avenue.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Republican.
John J. Gorman, 1633 Jackson boulevard.
Frederick W. Bruder, 2126 W. Madison street.
Democrat.
Francis A. Hurley, 2253 Warren avenue.
Michael E. Sullivan, 1611 W. Jackson boulevard.

Socialist.

Harry E. Greenwood, 215 S. Throop street.
Arthur E. Smith, 2042 Lexington street.

THIRD DISTRICT.

Republican.
Edward H. Morris, 4757 Vernon avenue.
Archibald J. Carey, 3428 Vernon avenue.

Democrat.

Mathew D. Hartigan, 2836 Wallace street.
James A. Gorman, 2812 Princeton avenue.
Socialist.
Joseph de Barberri, 466 E. 41st street.
Charles Hallbeck, 770 E. 41st street.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Democrat.
John E. Traeger, 921 W. 54th place.
George P. Latchford, 4532 Emerald avenue.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
Morton D. Hull, 4855 Woodlawn avenue.
Abel Davis, 5125 Ellis avenue.
Democrat.
William J. Lindsay, 6219 St. Lawrence avenue.
William P. Casey, 6426 Langley avenue.

Socialist.

Fred W. Hack, 5483 Ellis avenue.
Barney Berlyn, 6003 Prairie avenue.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
George A. Dupuy, 4526 N. Paulina street.
Rufus C. Dawes, 1800 Sheridan road, Evanston.
Democrat.
Joseph E. Flanagan, 4850 N. Paulina street.

Joseph H. Stanger, 2244 Lewis street.

Socialist.
Victor Koehler, 1808 Byron street.
Christian Meier, 4246 N. Winchester avenue.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
Frederic R. DeYoung, 50 E. 155th street, Harvey.
Amos C. Miller, 241 Melrose avenue, Kenilworth.

NINTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
David E. Shanahan, 3315 S. Western boulevard.
Frank Trefft, 3437 W. 23rd street.
Democrat.
Charles J. Michal, 2410 S. Kedzie avenue.
Robert E. Cauley, 2628 W. 35th street.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
William H. Cruden, 10204 Wallace street.
Percival G. Baldwin, 2017 W. 70th street.

Democrat.

Frank J. Walsh, 542 W. 65th street.
Michael K. Sheridan, 5698 S. Peoria street.

Socialist.

Henry Gronier, 6447 S. May street.
B. O. Beeze, 5718 Wentworth avenue.

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
Douglas Sutherland, 6553 Minerva avenue.
Oscar Wolff, 10611 Avenue H.
Democrat.
John J. Poulton, 7311 Oglesby avenue.
Frank Foster, 9120 Exchange avenue.

Socialist.

Harry H. Wilson, 11332 Watt avenue.

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
Ernst Kune, 2025 S. Halsted street.
Otto F. Ring, 1420 W. 18th street.
Democrat.
S. E. Pincus, 836 W. 14th street.
Dennis A. Horan, 1914 S. Ashland avenue.

Socialist.

Edwin H. Weiman, 828 O'Neil street.
William Lewin, 1846 W. 20th street.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
Charles Hechler, 1356 W. 14th street.
Anthony Pintozi, Jr., 567 Forquer street.

Democrat.

Thomas F. Frole, 1140 W. Taylor street.
Michael Iarussi, 761 W. Taylor street.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT.

Republican.
Harry A. Siegel, 1220 S. Roman avenue.
William E. Burns, 1549 S. Central Park avenue.

Democrat.

Martin J. O'Brien, 3845 Flournoy street.
Michel Rosenberg, 1250 Independence boulevard.

Socialist.

Mordecai Shulman, 1632 S. Trumbull avenue.
Henry E. Wickwire, 3334 Madison street.

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

Republican.
George F. Lohman, 568 N. Long avenue.
Charles S. Cutting, 307 N. Waller avenue.
Democrat.
James P. Fardy, 3423 Franklin boulevard.
John F. Higgins, 616 N. Latrobe avenue.

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FRANCIS STUYVESANT PEABODY, Leader in the Financial, Political and Business Life of Chicago, Who Heads the Great Salvation Army Drive.

judge, all roads seem to lead to Mr. Weber's office in the county building. If the Weber committeemen can be won over to any proposition, it is argued that the victory is won.

The Densen forces are said to recognize the position of the Weber men, or the outsiders as they are sometimes called and are reported to have made overtures to the Weber committeemen to declare in favor of postponing the election of a county judge until November, 1920, the day of the presidential election.

The Thompson men are most numerous in the committee, but a combination, including the Densen, Brundage and Weber groups, could swamp the Thompson committeemen. Without a combination a fight to the death is believed by the politicians to be inevitable, with the victory possibly going to Mayor Thompson. Such a result is what the Democratic leaders are hoping for.

direction of the County Agent. Everything from mother's pensions to the care of the aged and the infirm, the sick and the needy is embodied in the list of duties connected with this responsible post. Mr. Ehemann has won the respect and admiration of all who have had occasion to know of the able manner in which he performs his duties.

Despite labor troubles, which have handicapped the work of street improvement, between eighty-five and ninety miles of paved streets will be added to the city's mileage of improved thoroughfares this year, according to Edward J. Glackin, secretary of the board of local improvements. The cost of these improvements will be \$3,000,000.

Coroner Peter M. Hoffman is always alert in looking after the interests of the people.

the non-partisan aldermanic election bill that will be voted on next November. Unless great care is used by the political leaders, it is asserted the non-partisan bill will become involved in the controversy over the time for electing a county judge, and there would be a great danger of the electors' acting without regard to the merits of the non-partisan act.

Aldermanic primaries are scheduled for next February, and aldermanic elections for next April. They will be held unless the non-partisan bill wins out in November. If that measure passes the situation changes entirely. There will be no primaries or elections in February or April 1. Instead there will be an aldermanic preferential primary April 13, the same day the Republicans and Democrats elect their delegates to the national convention.

If the bill passes the candidates for aldermen will get on the ticket by petition, there will be no party circles

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